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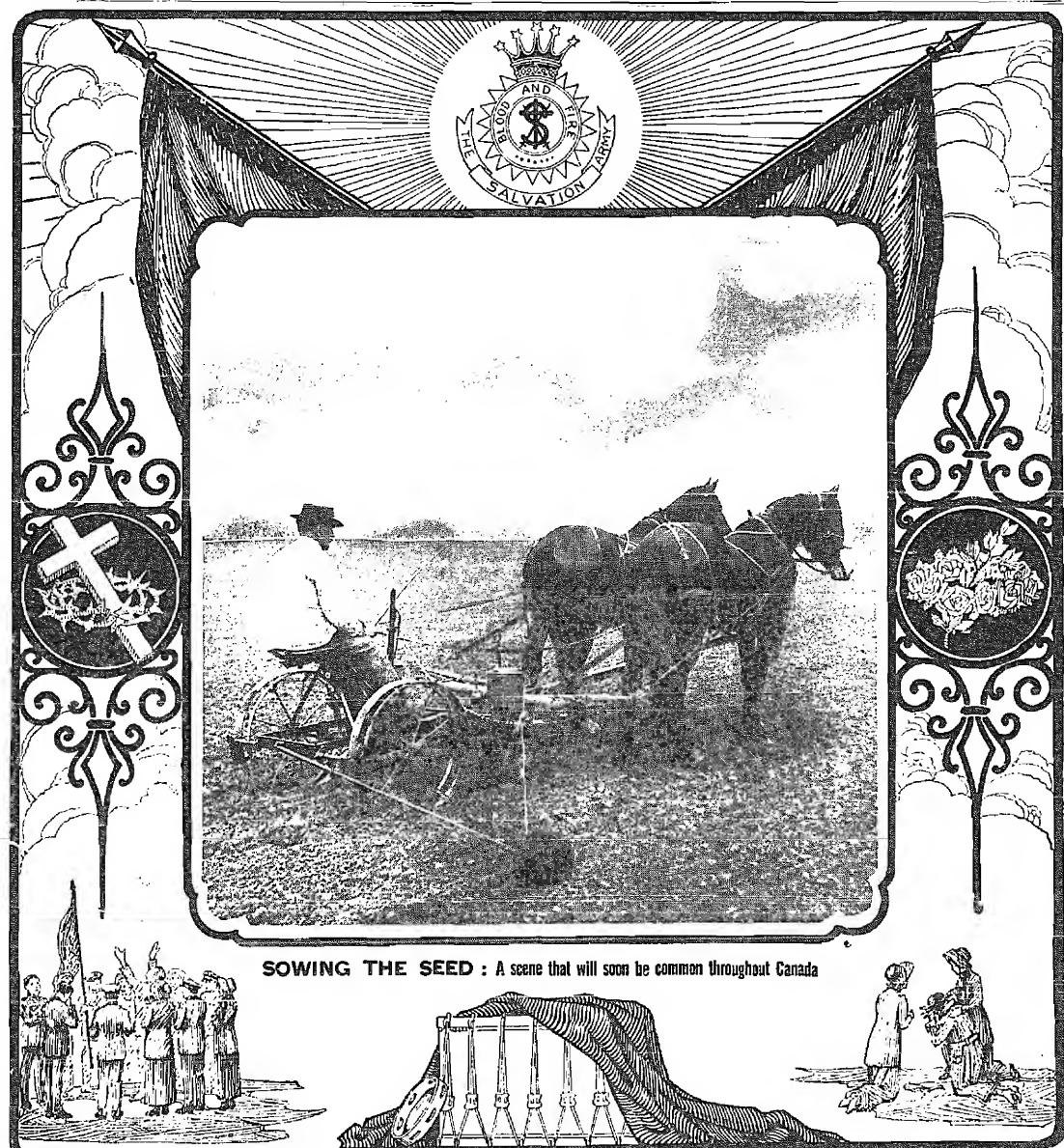
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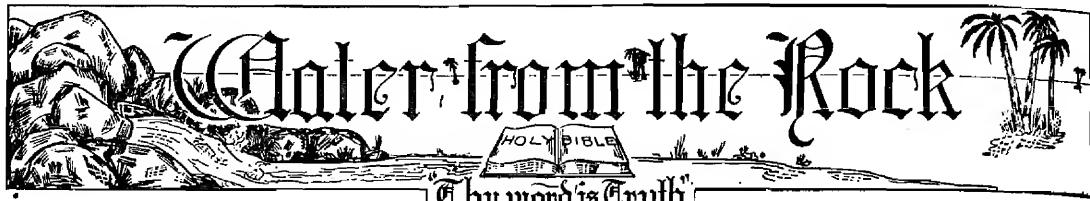
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HENRY C. HODDER, Commissioner.



The Salvation Army is doing in a spiritual sense what the farmer does in the natural sense—and both look forward to the harvest.
(See "The Seed-Time of Life" Page 2)



The Little Seeds

TINY seeds, tiny seeds, under the ground,
Are you aware when the storm-winds sound?
How do you know when the snowflakes bring?
What do you dream of the winter long?

Little one, little one, warm is our bed,
Soft is the coverlet over each head.
Sometimes we dream of the birds and the bees,
The blue, sunny sky, and green, waving trees.
Spring may come early or late;
Through dark winter's blight
We'll creep to the light.
So we wait, little one, so we wait.

Tiny seeds, tiny seeds, do you not miss?
The soft, sighing breeze and the sun-bairn's kiss?
The chirp of the cricket, in noonday heat?
All that made summer fair and sweet?

Little one, little one, we are content,
We may not see, but the sky's o'er his bent!
Soon will the tap of the whispering rain
Tell that the Giver needs us once again.
Then, be it early or late,
For each flake of snow
A flower will grow!
So we wait, little one, so we wait.

Books of the Bible

By Mrs. Major Carter

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—a scribe who is supposed to have been born in Babylon and came up to Jerusalem with the second party of returned captives. The book covers a period of 79 years, from 536 to 457 B.C., the first three verses being the same as the last three of Chronicles, the proclamation of Cyrus, King of Persia that God had charged him to rebuild the Temple, and calling on all the Jews to go up and build. He also restored the vessels of the Temple.

The first part of the book records the return of the first party of Jews from Babylon, the rebuilding of the Temple, the interruption by the Samaritans, but accomplished under the influence of the prophets Haggai and Zechariah, and finished in the sixth year of Darius.

Ezra himself led the second party from Babylon to Jerusalem during the reign of Artaxerxes, and carried on a reform forbidding Jews to intermarry with the heathen.

The Sure Guide

MY Bible is all the dearer to me, not only because it has pillow'd the dying heads of my father and mother, but because it has been the sure guide of a hundred generations of Christians before them. When the boastful innovators offer me a new system of belief, I say to them, "The old is better." Twenty centuries of experience shared by such intellects as Augustine, Luther, Pascal, Calvin, Newton, Chalmers, Edwards, Wesley and Spurgeon are not to be shaken by the assaults of men who often contradict each other while contradicting God's truth.—Cuyler.

The Seed-Time of Life

An Interesting Article Which Shows the Great Possibilities That Lie Between the Ages of Ten and Twenty

FEW people will dispute the truth of St. Paul's words: "What a man soweth that shall he also reap." And it is equally indisputable that the seed-time of life is from the tenth birth-day to the twentieth. That is to say, at that period of one's life mind and spirit have received their bent—unbiased in the direction which, in the usual course of things, they will continue to travel throughout the remainder of one's mortal career.

It is so with reference to intellectual development. It is asserted now that one-half of all the knowledge that the mind acquires in this world, comes into its possession by the seventh year. At the first, one is inclined to question the truth of this statement, but really, when one thinks upon it, there seems to be something in it. Let one write down a list of facts concerning which a child gets knowledge of within that period, about himself, the world about him, and God above him, and really, the sum total

of St. Paul's words: "What a man soweth that shall he also reap." And it is the most important period in a boy's life. Then his ideals are acquired, his character formed.

Yes, youth is the seed-time of life. Those who sow dunces seed, vice seed, laziness seed, usually get a crop of what they sow. Young reader, what are you sowing? Remember ill-wrecks grow apace.

Drunkenness, deceit, gambling, uncleanness, profanity, and many other things that bear hideous fruit are not unpleasant when in the seed stage; and youth, inexperienced and impulsive, is apt to shut the eye to the mature results, and look only on the pleasant present. Young man and woman, look on the pulsated red-eyed drunkard, staggering home in rags through the streets, the sport of mocking boys. He looked on the wine when it was red, and in the days of his youth sowed the seeds of his future.

Wednesday—Mark 6: 30-44. "He commanded them to make all sit down by companies." The Saviour taught His disciples the value of system and organization. By using method all were served quickly and well and no one was neglected. Carefully plan your work—at home, in business, and in the Corps, and seek God's guidance and blessing. By doing this, as well as others, will be surprised at the results.

Thursday—Mark 6: 45-46. "He saw them toiling in rowing." Maybe you have special cares or anxieties at present and no one is able to help or even to understand your difficulties. Tell the Lord all about them. He is watching your "toiling" and in His own time He will give you rest and blessing.

Friday—Mark 7: 1-13. The teachings of the Pharisees. The Pharisees were certainly right in one thing. They took infinite pains with their religion and underwent a good deal of self-denial to do what they thought to be right. Had their hearts only been full of burning love for God and man, they would have been irresistible. But they spoilt all by being content with the outward form and missing the inner life which alone was valuable.

Saturday—Mark 7: 14-23. "Evil thoughts come from within, and defile the man." How little we think of the terrible, defiling influence of our words! Not only the half-truth or the nasty story, but the unkind criticism and the words which take the heart out of the hearer and make him weaker to fight evil in himself and his surroundings. Let us cry for cleansing now!

Get Children Converted

We must aim at getting the children definitely converted, or they will go to swell the ranks of those who are nominally Christian, but whose hearts are far from God.

Let parents and Young People's Workers, whose dearest desire is to

see the children following in their footsteps, seek more earnestly than ever to help the Young People to

right decisions while they are in the

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The Army's Bookshelf

A BOOK ABOUT INDIA

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Public speaking was for long an agony to her. When, after a night of intense conflict, she stood forth to speak out the message of her heart in the presence of a crowd of people, it was indeed a death, but a death from which sprang a rich and glorious resurrection. Once having received the revelation of the will of God, there was for her no going backward. Indeed, the bearing of the Cross became easy when its fruit—the public surrender of seekers to Christ—was seen.

Launched Work in Sweden

In a letter inviting her to London again for the opening of Clapton Congress Hall, the General told her of his conviction that the Lord wanted her to launch The Army's work in Sweden, and in December, 1882, she set out to do that wonderful thing with three helpers, one of whom is the present Major Jenni Svensson (retired).

The entire plan of campaign had the whole-hearted approval of our beloved Founder, who followed every movement with the keenest interest. "Get into their skins," was the epigrammatic summary of his instructions to his representatives in India, . . . heartily endorsed by our present General.

Some idea of the immensity of the population of India, even in comparison with that of the British Empire, may be gathered from the fact that "one-fourth of King George's subjects live in India." Small wonder is it that the Commissioner should give us the answer that he does to the question which he will all propounds. "Why does the Indian Officer, he be

farances from her mind and heart. She was then ready to "go anywhere and do anything." Returning home, she rented two rooms and began to hold small Holiness Meetings, which soon roused the whole neighborhood. People were bitterly opposed to the doctrine of Holiness, but after the sanctification of a young man who had been one of her bitterest opponents, the work spread gloriously. Soon she had many visitors, on foot and in carriages, inquiring the way of Salvation.

Let no one imagine that it was easy for this woman to do what she did. A week earlier, the Army Mother's delicate hands—hands which a few years later were to be folded in death—had been entrusted to Major Ouchterlony's care a sacred Flag; its Yellow, Red, and Blue yet unfaded; its motto yet unfamiliar and unknown. And it was the principles set forth by that Flag which were leading that brave woman to become as a stranger in her native land.

A Hall was engaged in Stockholm, but such crowds flocked to the Meetings that the police closed it, fearing a riot. Major Ouchterlony presently obtained the use of a theatre and a church.

Riots and Mobs

Days of sensation followed; days of riots, mobs, police difficulties; days when from dawn till the small hours she could scarcely snatch a moment's peace, and yet days of such glory and blessing that their very memory should be an inspiration to all to emulate the Commissioner's whole-hearted, fearless consecration.

When hall doors were shut on her, she said, "We must hold our Meetings outside," for the idea of retreat never dawned on her. She had come back to her country to plant the real thing, and the fact that Sweden is now, perhaps, the strongest of The Army's continental battle-fields is the best evidence that its foundations were well and truly laid. For a time she held mid-day services from a brewer's dray, in a large yard which her Soldiers swept clear of snow, and many of our present Officers and Soldiers found Salvation there.

Persecutions were constant. At one time a third of her Officers had suffered imprisonment for longer or shorter terms for holding Meetings in defiance of antiquated by-laws, and for months a warrant was out for her own arrest. But gradually Sweden began to understand and to appreciate, and when, after nine years' labor, farewell orders came to the woman who had started The Army with three Comrades only at her side, she left behind her a large force of Soldiers, 500 Officers, 150 Corps, and the foundation of that Social Work, both for men and women, which now receives the commendation of rich and poor.

Preacher of Righteousness

In the following years Commissioner Ouchterlony travelled, with her faithful Secretary, Brigadier Sommer

(now Mrs. Lieut.-Colonel Powell), as a preacher of righteousness, and for nine memorable months journeyed in the United States of America, where she covered some 10,000 miles, addressing great audiences and experiencing the joy of leading many of her hearers to Christ.

In February, 1894, the Commissioner was appointed to take charge of The Army's Work in Norway, which had been in progress since 1888. Her Headquarters were at Christiania, and considerable hardship and risk were involved in the visitation of her far-scattered Corps in the remoter townships and hamlets of this northern kingdom. There is, somewhere, a striking oil painting, by a Norwegian artist, showing the Commissioner leading an Open-Air service by the light of the midnight sun.

The work progressed happily under her six years' leadership, her love for the people and theirs for her growing month by month, and when she said good-bye the largest hall in Christiania was filled and all classes thanked God for her labors in their midst.

Set Aside Own Feelings

Writing of her at that time Commissioner Mildred Dull, one of her oldest Comrades, said:

"She is gifted with a fine artistic temperament; she appreciates the beautiful in every sense, and want of refinement is repugnant to her. But God taught her, in her consecration days of long ago, to set aside her own feelings and to look beneath the surface of things and see beauty and hope and divine possibilities where humanly she would find only pain and despair. She learned that the truest and noblest Art is that which can make the desert to rejoice and blossom as the rose."

"This is the lesson that a multitude of refined and educated people have yet to learn, and until they learn it all their labor and all their tears for the good of the people will, for the greater part, be unavailing."

Commissioner Ouchterlony was on Special Service until 1904, since when she lived in retirement, amongst her own people, loved and honored by all and helping still, by her prayers and faith, the work to which she so gladly gave all she had. A little more than a year ago the Commissioner spoke at The Army's Fortieth Anniversary celebrations in Stockholm.

and resting peacefully upon its promises, passed away.

"Let me die in my uniform," said another wonderful trophy, converted from drunkenness and devil-dancing. So they put on his red jacket, and he passed triumphantly away.

"Many of the Converts endure terrible persecutions. They have burnt my house, my supply of grain, and my red jacket. But they could not burn the Salvation out of my heart," was the testimony of one who had literally been burnt out of house and home.

"I was called to visit a village of our Converts which had been burnt by the ground by the high-caste Hindus. Yet there was no waving, though the enemies offered to rebuild the village and give them all the food required, if they would give up Salvation and return to their old religion."

Muktifanj; or, Forty Years with The Salvation Army in India. By Commissioner Booth-Tucker. Price 8s Postpaid. Obtainable from the Trade Secretary, 317 Carlton St., Winnipeg.

THE CALL FOR HELP

From the neglected, benighted peoples of the earth—millions of them yet in darkest ignorance of the true Light—should spur us on to our best effort in the

COMING SELF-DENIAL CAMPAIGN—MAY 5 to 11

Salvationists should especially exercise personal self-denial in addition to pushing the appeal for funds during that week.

PRAYERFUL CO-OPERATION MEANS SUCCESS



Norwegian Enquiry Work
BESIDES working up 2,000 old enquiry cases which are still being handled, The Army Enquiry Department in Norway has, during the year 1923, taken up 587 new enquiry cases and found 475 missing persons. Of these, 190 were found in Norway, 186 in the U.S.A., 32 in Canada, 14 in Australia, 13 in Sweden, 13 in Denmark, 12 in England, 4 in South Africa, 4 in France, 2 in Belgium and 1 each in Switzerland, New Zealand, Java, Brazil and Roumania. During the year, the Department has, at the instance of various Probate Courts and Public Trustees, found not few heirs to estates, whose addresses were unknown to the officials. In this manner, kr. 40,185.95 has been allotted to the rightful heirs—chiefly people who were in poor circumstances.

The Government of Norway have, in view of the work of the Office as a binding medium between Norwegians in foreign parts and Norwegians at home, granted an allowance of kr. 3,000 during the last few years, in order to help the work of the Enquiry Department.

Saved in a Heathen Country A Soldier Lad's Conversion Which Had Happy Results

A YOUNG lad joined His Majesty's forces. Later he was drafted to India. There he came under the influence of The Salvation Army and ultimately gave himself to God.

Writing home to his mother he informed her of his conversion, enclosing with the letter a tiny text-card containing the words from Deuteronomy, "I call Heaven and earth to record this day against you that I have set before you life and death, blessing and cursing; therefore, choose life."

The next Sunday evening the mother attended The Army Meeting in a town in England, and was the first to kneel at the Mercy-Seat. She afterwards testified, giving the particulars related above. A few weeks later the father gave himself to Jesus.

Stupendous Figures

Cadets in the Berlin, Germany, Training Garrison recently collected on the streets in aid of the Self-Denial Effort and raised a total of twenty-nine billion marks. Taking into consideration the fact that there are six or seven different kinds of German notes it will readily be seen that the mere counting of the money is no small task. The Officers counted no less than a million milliards. From the sense of wealth conveyed by such stupendous figures the reader is suddenly hurled when the infinitesimal value of the mark is remembered.

ROUND-THE-WORLD GLIMPSES OF THE ARMY'S WORK

ONE hundred and twenty-two men working in the rice fields of Moshonland have been enrolled as Salvation Army Soldiers. These Comrades are converted men who have been Japanese Association presided over by the most influential Japanese Army Soldiers. The president of the Corps in Los Angeles the Commander work has been possible.

Commander Eva Booth recently addressed a spiritual gathering called by the most influential Japanese Army Soldiers. The president of the Corps in Los Angeles the Commander conducted a crowded Salvation Meeting

The Week of Prayer and Self-Denial

Gives you the opportunity of advancing the work of spreading Salvation to all nations by your prayers and practical support and self-denial even though you yourself cannot go.

A prominent Wellington business man called at The Army's Headquarters in that city recently, and handed in a donation of £2, remarking that two years before he had been "down at heel," and had come to Headquarters seeking money for a meal and a bed. It had been freely given, so he desisted to return it with interest.

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Campaigning in Florida, Commander E. Booth recently conducted gatherings at Jacksonville and Palm Beach. The largest auditoriums that could be obtained were crowded. Under the distinguished chairmanship of Mr. William Jennings Bryan, the Commander also gave a thrilling lecture at Miami. Two thousand five hundred persons were in attendance.

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About eight hundred lepers are being cared for by The Salvation Army forces in Dutch West Indies. Colonies located in some of the most beautiful parts of the Islands are totally given over to the welfare of these poor sufferers, many of them are getting saved.

Self-Denial helps to keep this splendid work going. Are you preparing to do your best for this grand cause?

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At The Army International Headquarters, Victoria St., London, was received recently an envelope containing a half-sheet of notepaper, a newspaper cutting giving the Chief of the Staff's Appeal on behalf of Self-Denial, and a wedding ring. On the notepaper were written the words "My only way." There was no signature, and no name and address was given. Truly a touching Self-Denial gift.

After a period of intensive training at Clapton, Captain and Mrs. Hammond have returned to the Gold Coast for service there. The Captain, it will be recalled, left his occupation as a qualified pharmacist in Accra to become a Salvation Army Officer.

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Inspiring reports from the Regional Officers in Korea indicate that the 1,000 Souls Campaign now on in that Territory, will be a success.

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Colonel Damon, newly appointed Chief Secretary for the Central Territory, U.S.A., recently received a hearty welcome during a visit to Minneapolis. Whilst in the city the Colonel dedicated the new Women's Home and Maternity Hospital.

A glowing tribute was paid the Institution and The Salvation Army by Lieutenant Governor Collins, who cited his first acquaintanceship with The Army, in France, where he served as an artillery corporal.

"I'd rather help build an institution like this than give \$5,000,000 to art galleries," he said, in concluding his address.

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Upwards of ninety Candidates have been accepted for the next session of the Melbourne, South Australia, Training Division, which will shortly commence.

Apple-Pie Service What a Touch of Human Kindness Did

THE members of the League of Mercy, in Adelaide, Southern Australia, are doing an extremely useful work amongst the poorer classes. Many bundles of clothing are distributed. A number of orphans held in deplorable situations in the city, are cared for, and the hospitals are constantly visited. Not long ago a young woman was discovered dying of disease in one of the city's institutions. She was bitter and unapproachable because of her suffering, and the League of Mercy Comrades made little headway with her until the girl, half delirious, murmured, "I'm just longing for a piece of home-made apple pie."

The Salvationist hurried home and returned later in the evening with the best apple pie that her skill could produce. The patient ate ravenously and then began to talk. In the end the Salvationist was able to lead her to God.

Patient Sowing But a Harvest of Sods in the End

It is not easy for Western nations to understand the task of the Missionary Officer, who in the East must teach those principles which are the hereditary possession of all European and American children. For twelve months an Officer in the Celebes has gathered around him a crowd of boys, teaching them, line upon line and precept upon precept, and living out before their eyes all that he taught. Then at the end of twelve months came the time when he could appeal for an intelligent surrender to the Saviour.

"Now was the time," he writes. "I longed to see them safe in the Lord's hands, and asked who would yield. They got up one by one, the big fellows first, then the younger ones, and all followed, in low, tender voices, my prayer for their pardon and peace with God." Surely a more precious harvest was never reaped.

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Lieut.-Commissioner Wm. Howard is on his way to South America where he will represent International Headquarters at the annual Congress gatherings in Buenos Aires. He will also visit Brazil.

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Brigadier Eliza Drabble having completed forty-three years' Officership, is retiring from active service. The Brigadier has been for five years in the Secretary's Department at H.Q.

Health Talk
By Charles A. L. Roberts
WHAT YOU SHOULD DO
ABOUT BAD BREATH
(Copyright)

YOUR breath, to be n

This is because it contains air that you are expelling and that carries waste gas of your system. carbon dioxide, with a certain water in the form of it that is evaporated from the surface of your air passage.

Air, carbon dioxide and are alike without odor.

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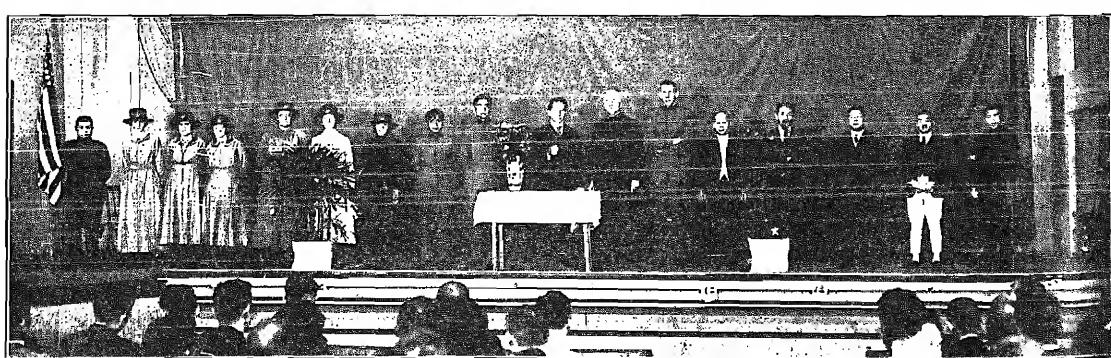
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Health Talks

By Charles A. L. Reed, M.D.
WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW
ABOUT BAD BREATH

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YOUR breath, to be normal, should be odorless.

This is because it consists only of air that you are expelling from your lungs and that carries with it the waste gas of your system, called carbon dioxide, with a certain amount of water in the form of invisible vapor that is evaporated from the internal surface of your air passages.

Air, carbon dioxide and water vapor are alike without odor.

When, therefore, your breath is detectable by others, but especially by yourself, there is something wrong.

In all fevers the exhalations from the lungs and upper air passages are so pronounced as to impart some odor to the breath, a condition which passes with the fever.

In smokers the offensive breath is due to stale tobacco-smoke on the surface of the tongue and mouth, but which lodges most and stays longest between the teeth under the margins of the gums.

In drinkers of alcoholic beverages there are two types of odorous breath. One is a sweetish alcoholic kind that is due to the alcohol which evaporates from the food passages or is exhaled from the lungs. The other is due to profound changes in the system and to a foul condition of the stomach.

Characteristically odorous breath exists in cases of poisoning from hydrocyanic acid, carbolic acid, phosphorus, chloroform and ether.

When the breath is fragrant and "fruity" the condition is suggestive of advanced diabetes with a fatal termination not far in the future.

An odor of the breath that is described as "heavy and aromatic" occurs in the final stages of chronic uremia and of long-standing weakness of the heart.

Actual death from wasting diseases is often preceded by odor of the breath suggestive of the odor of a dead person.

Persons having infection with chronic discharges from the tonsils or from the various cavities, called sinus, in the head, often have offensive breath from those causes.

But the greatest cause of bad breath, and the very foulest of bad breaths at that, on persons otherwise in apparent health, is due to infections about the teeth.

In these cases abscesses form under the gums and keep on discharging their offensive pus in quantities sufficient to make their breath obnoxious if not nauseous to persons with whom they may be in conversation.

As these conditions of the teeth, tonsils and sinuses are not only objectionable but dangerous, it is fortunate they are so entirely curable that there is little if any excuse for a person continuing to be an objectionable associate from these causes.

The sooner such a victim seeks the advice of his dentist or physician the better.

Next week: Some things you should know about cocoa.

Sunday, April 27th

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Does God Call You?



The "Sunshine Soldiers"

Brother and Sister Johnstone of Selkirk, Man.

Loved and respected by all their Comrades, Brother and Sister Johnstone, two veteran Soldiers of the Selkirk Corps, have been faithful supporters of The Army cause in Fish Town for many years.

Their early days were spent in Ice

and beneath the shadow of the great



Brother and Sister Johnstone

mountains whose wild and rugged sides rise to precipitous heights from the banks of the mighty Blanda Glacier. Here at midnight in the month of June the sun tinges the mountain tops with golden glory.

Our Comrades emigrated to Canada over forty years ago and, being coun-

seled to throw in their lot with The Salvation Army, did so and have labored for the winning of souls in our midst with happy results. Now comes a chapter in their history of which our Comrades are justly proud. They lived in Gimli, Man., for thirteen years and although near no Corps, raised up the Standard, took their stand for God, and in song and story gave to the people of Gimli the Gospel message without fail all the time they resided there. Never once did they lose heart but kept the Flag flying at top mast. Needless to say, their labors were owned and blessed of God in this lake-side town.

Moving to Selkirk, Brother Johnstone engaged in the fishing business while his wife lay about her old-fashioned spinning wheel—a picturesque sight for even that are tired of modern innovations. Sister Johnstone has in her possession a copy of the first Salvation Army song book printed in Ice

hutches which she greatly prizes.

This happy old couple can tell many stories of answers to prayer. Once when his wife lay dying, Brother Johnstone prayed for her restoration. The doctor had given the case up as hopeless, and even the wife had resigned herself to die. However, the test of his faith caused our Comrade to drop on his knees in importunate supplications and his petition was granted—Mrs. Johnstone was raised to life and health from under the very shadow of death.

The "Sunshine Soldiers", as they are called, well deserve their title, and are splendid examples of fighting Salvationists. May God spare them for many years to labor in His vineyard.

portance of Junior work, which was very impressive and gave much food for thought. A new chorus which the Brigadier and Sergeant Ivey introduced, was speedily learned and a good story told about its composition.

There were no empty seats at the night meeting and before closing two sought the Lord. Several converts of the last few weeks testified during the Hallelujah wind-up.

On Monday night Colonel and Mrs. Jacobs were welcomed and led a rousing old-time meeting, which was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. The Colonel's Scripture lesson and address was eagerly listened to, and the whole congregation rose and sang a consecration chorus at the close. We trust that both Colonel and Mrs. Jacobs will be spared to pay us another visit.

Our sick Officers and Comrades are all improving. Captain Majury has been in the Hospital with a sharp attack of influenza, but we hope to soon see him back at his work.—A. E. T.

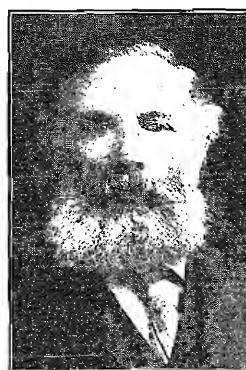
Promoted to Glory

Brother McLean, Port Arthur

One of our old and much-loved Comrades, commonly known as "Dad" McLean, has answered the call to Higher Service.

He was ill only a few days, and during this period he prayed fervently that the dear Lord would "take him home." On Sunday morning, Feb. 21, the Lord saw fit to answer his prayer. His spirit took its flight very gently, and his passing from time into Eternity was most calm and peaceful.

A large crowd gathered for the funeral service which was conducted by Ensign Fox and Ensign Waterston. Two songs that were much loved by "Dad" in life were sung heartily. Treasurer Sheppard read the 91st



Psalm and Sister Akselson soloed "I love a home that is fairer than thy day." The Officers exhorted all that they "Sorrow not as others who have no hope" and exhorted that many irreverent and ungodly persons had consecrated their lives to God determined to live even as they would wish death to find them.

"Dad" had been a soldier of this Corps for a number of years and he leaves behind dear old Mother who is also a staunch and true warrior. She has but one son left who resides in Nova Scotia. Mother is eighty-six years of age, nevertheless a faithful attendant at the meetings and is determined to keep her soul "well polished" so that when the call comes to her she will gladly join those gone on before.

Eight Souls at Edmonton III

Ensign and Mrs. Smith. On Sunday, March 23rd, we received to see eight souls at the Penitent Form for Salvation and consecration.

We had a large band of Life-Saving Scouts organized recently. They are making first class progress. Our Guards are also making progress. At a recent Festival No. 1 Band rendered the program, assisted by their Singers. We welcomed Major and Mrs. Gosling at this meeting, the Major presiding.—E.B.

Three Souls at Winnipeg VIII

Ensign Pasmore and Lieut. Weeks.

On Sunday, March 23rd, we had with us Adjutant and Mrs. Steele and a Brigade of 1st Cadets. In the afternoon the Cadets held two Open-Airs after which they gave a tune to Grace Hospital. Their Band united with ours in the night meeting and was a great help. After an inspiring address given by the Adjutant three souls surrendered.—A.E.H.

Ensign Okerstrom, Winnipeg IV, informs us that the "wrote up" of the Scandinavian Corps featured in a recent issue was the means of quite a little "War Cry" boom at his Corps. Thanks! Ensign, the suggestion is a worth-while one. We pass it on with out further comment.

THE WAR CRY

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General Order

The Week of Prayer immediately preceding the Self-Denial Effort, commences April 28 and concludes May 4.

The Senior Effort commences May 5 and finishes on the 11th. The Junior Effort dates from May 12 to 18 inclusive.

From April 28 to May 18 no demonstration, of, a. a. (except on behalf of this fund) may take place in any Corps without permission.

Officers of all Ranks are responsible for seeing this General Order is observed.

Let all who take part in the Self-Denial Effort earnestly seek God's blessing that He may reward their labors with success.

HENRY C. HODDER,
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Official Gazette

PROMOTION—

To Be Commandant:

Adjutant Herbert Muttart, "Booth Memorial Home," Calgary.

Admitted to the Long Service Order:

Mrs. Commandant H. Muttart,
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Editorial Notes

A Revival Needed

THE multiplicity of beliefs and theories put forward in these days is astounding. People seem to be departing from the grand old truths of Salvation by faith and the efficacy of the Blood of Christ, and are hewing themselves out broken cisterns that can hold no water. Commenting on present day conditions the Christian Herald says:—

"What the Churches need more than anything else is a genuine revival, which will renew faith and dispel the doubts that have been sown in the minds of many by false teachers in recent years."

We believe that that is the world's greatest need today. A wholesale return to Jesus Christ would end all this seething unrest, this feverish preparation for war, these foolish attacks on the verity of the Scriptures and the Divinity of the Saviour, and bring peace and joy to the hearts and minds of mankind. Pray unceasingly for a genuine revival.

Strutting to Perdition

SOMETIMES ago we published a story under the title "Dancing down to Hell." Some of our friends thought this was putting it too strong and remonstrated with us. That conditions prevailing in some dance halls surely do lead souls to ruin and eventually to hell there is abundant evidence however. In a recent issue of the "Literary Digest," our attention was attracted to an article headed, "Strutting to Perdition," in which it is stated that an amazing condition of immorality has been found to exist in twenty per cent of the public dance halls. To quote from the article:—

Australia's Welcome THE GENERAL

Opens His Campaign in the Western Capital Amid Scenes of Rare Enthusiasm and Affection

Tributes by the Premier, Members of Parliament, and Mayor—Inspiring Officers' Councils

From the British "War Cry"

Perth (W.A.), March 8th.

OUT of the haze of the Indian Ocean on Tuesday morning and through the entrance to the Fremantle Harbor in a brilliant burst of sunshine, the Orsava arrived here. The General had come!

A great song of thanksgiving went up on shore, the Band leading with "Praise God from whom all blessings flow." Hundreds of Salvationists of all ranks who had been waiting for hours joined in this demonstration of loyal devotion.

Charming to Witness

The Band played, troops waved and all eyes were focussed on the gangway aft, while the General, disembarking forward, suddenly appeared in the midst of the Comrades gathered on the wharf. It was charming to witness the delight of the Salvationists, who closed about their Leader and his accompanying staff, and thus escorted them to the cars which were waiting to convey them to Perth.

During the voyage the General worked untiringly, and quickly resumed his task on reaching the capital of Western Australia. Next morning, at the invitation of the Mayor, the city gave him a hearty welcome at the Town Hall, at which the local Member of Parliament, and also Australia's only woman Member, spoke generous words of greeting.

A one-time London policeman, who is now a Perth City Councillor, referred to the early-day struggles of the Army and his part therein in the capital of the Empire.

The General, in reply, compared the strenuous beginnings of The Army with to-day's enlarged opportunities, and said that if so much had already resulted from so small a start, what could not the future yield? The quotation of a remark by Mr. Bruce, the Prime Minister of Australia, who had travelled in the same steamer, aroused hearty endorsement. "I like The Army," the Premier had said to the General, "because you people always help the other fellow."

Profitable Officers' Councils

On Thursday and Friday there were Officers' Councils, which were highly profitable in every way. All grades were present, from the pioneer Comrades who had tramped through the bush and the wilderness, blazing the trail, to the probationers who eagerly follow in the way thus made.

The pride and pleasure manifested by the Officers in the presence among them of the General was only equalled by their intensity of desire to receive of his counsel and feel the glow of his spirit.

With each succeeding session the tide of inspiration rose steadily. The General beokened a rare and intimate knowledge of the necessities of his Officers. He also made a moving appeal on behalf of the Missionary countries.

March 9th.

An extraordinary welcome was accorded the General at Birthdays gatherings held here yesterday afternoon and evening in connection with the Western Australia Congress. There

pastors or parents to speak indiscreetly of "dancing" with a nonchalance as though it were altogether an innocent pastime, or a during pleasure easily regulated, is to reveal a dense ignorance of the subject or an utter disregard for the best welfare of innocent and unprotected youth in their

was a delightful session of the Local Officers' Council in the Assembly Hall in the afternoon, at which 300 were present. On the arrival of the General the delegates sprang to their feet, grateful to honor his service to God, The Army, and the world.

Having acknowledged this affectionate salutation, the General drew from his own experience the lessons of a Local Officers' life, revealing how truly he understood the responsibilities and difficulties with which they were coping. At the same time he enlarged with a glowing enthusiasm upon the splendid opportunities for God and souls, and for the progress of the Corps, which are their special birthright.

Overflowing Happiness

In the evening the Fortress was packed with Soldiers, Recruits, and Converts. It was a gathering of overflowing happiness and affection, yet of supreme importance likewise. The welcome song provided ready welcome for the manifestation of the former; but when the General, speaking from the fullness of his own heart to the hearts and consciences of his Australian people, unfolded God's will and plan for them, as well as his own ardent desires for their highest well-being and success, he was listened to in an unbroken silence that was more significant than might else could have been. They were being both caught and inspired as the sequel proved.

In the inner light that shone from Heaven, shortcomings and failures were recognized and confessed, so that presently there were grand scenes of surrender at the Mercy-Seat. Skeeters came in numbers, and continued to come until late into the night.

Prior to the General's address, Commissioner Richards conveyed to him the greetings of the Comrades in his Command; and a pleasing incident was the presentation by a local firm of a three-tiered birthday cake, of which every Salvationist partook.

Sunday saw the enthusiasm growing greater and greater. In the forenoon there was a Holiness Meeting in the Prince of Wales Theatre, which was well attended. Thirty-one captures were made in the struggle which the General led to victory.

Expressions of Regard

In the afternoon the Premier of Western Australia presided with genial humor. High expressions of regard for The Army were also made by the Colonial Secretary and the ex-Mayor of Perth. There was a representative platform, and although the Governor was unable to be present, Lady Newdegate was an interested listener among an audience of 2,000, drawn from all classes.

In the evening a great concourse of people again filled the theatre. Commissioner Mapp and Adjutant Wyche Booth participated in a tremendous attack on evil. There was a great outpouring of the spirit of conviction, and the General, valiantly forefront of himself, was ever in the forefront of the attack, as a result of which eighty-two were snatched from the ranks of the enemy.

During the weekend there were 160 seekers.

The Chief Secretary and Mrs. Morris Say Farewell At Selkirk

The Chief Secretary and Mrs. Morris, supported by Major and Mrs. Joy, conducted especially interesting meetings at Selkirk on Sunday, March 22.

The morning meeting was well attended, the young people, with many adults present, crowded the Hall in the afternoon, while at midday there was a capacity house, extra chairs being brought in.

The day's meetings concluded with a real Salvation Army wind up, many choruses being introduced, some being recently composed by Major Joy.

In the evening meeting Colonel and Mrs. Morris referred to their farewell from Canada West.

Women's Social Notes

By Brigadier Alick Goodwin

The Women's Social Secretary gave an address on the Social Work to the ladies of the Baptist Tabernacle Mission circle in Winnipeg. A dainty program was issued for the occasion with a Lighthouse drawn on the cover. This was intended to represent The Salvation Army Rescue work. There was very keen interest shown on the part of the ladies to the message given.

A few days ago a poor unfortunate girl was sent through by the Social Department, Toronto, travelling to Saskatoon with twin babies. It was a pathetic sight to see these little ones comfortably arranged in a clothes basket. Staff-Captain Oakie, with his car, came to the help of the Women's Social Secretary in looking after this girl. The babies will be in the care of Commandant Bond, Regina, for a few weeks.

The Regina Social Settlement is all too full and real resuit work is being done there. Commandant Bond addressed two meetings of prominent ladies on the work of the Home, recently. Every letter almost, speaks of the need there is for larger accommodation.

Kildonan Industrial Home. Three women Cadets conducted meetings with the girls on Thursday and Sunday evening. It is intended to carry these through weekly.

Adjutant Shanrock will leave for a furlough in England on May 1st, sailing on May 9th, on the "S. S. Mont-
tana."

Colonel and Mrs. Jacobs, accompanied by the Chief Secretary, paid a visit to the Institution on Saturday, March 22nd. The words spoken by these visitors were much appreciated by the staff and girls.

Calgary Children's Home. We offer our sincere congratulations to Adjutant and Mrs. Muttart, who have been promoted, by the Commissioner, to the rank of Commandant. This is a well-earned promotion, and in addition to this Mrs. Commandant Muttart has been admitted to the Long Service Order.

A mistake crept into a recent "War Cry" in connection with the Home. It was stated that a new Officer's quarters had been built, and five large cupboards had been placed in it. It should have said that a small one-ruled house had been built for additional quarters for the Officers, and the cupboards were placed in various parts of the present Children's Home.

April 5, 1924

Opening of Edmonton Working Men's Hotel

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The main floor of the four story block which comprises the Social Institution was seated and filled with a representative audience, including Worship Mayor Blanchard, magistrates and other prominent men.

The service was opened with unison singing, and after Mrs. Hodder prayed, Brigadier Sims introduced Commissioners, who received a special and welcome. A most enlightening address, giving a brief outline of Salvation Army's Social activities, was delivered by the Commissioner, also explaining the purposes of present Institution. It was one of the finest social lectures heard in the city, and held the rapt attention of the audience.

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After Ensign Stewart, the Superintendent, had given his report, Brigadier Sims presented the Commissioners with the key. The Commissioners brought the ceremony to a close offering the dedicatory prayer and clapping the building opened.

Following the service and while visitors were inspecting the building, Mrs. Ensign Stewart, assisted by Comrades, served refreshments.

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COMMISSIONER and MRS. HODDER

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of the Campaigns—Splendid Weekend Gatherings at Saskatoon—Fifty Surrenders**

COMMISSIONER AND MRS. HODDER conducted inspiring Councils with Officers at Calgary, Edmonton, Saskatoon, Regina and Brandon. The weekend at Saskatoon was outstanding blessing and visible results. Fifty decisions were recorded.

Mrs. Hodder has conducted successful and profitable gatherings with the women at each centre. Nearly every Home League and League of Mercy has now been visited by Mrs. Hodder, and this branch of work has received impetus and timely aid.

The Commissioner's meetings with Soldiers and ex-Soldiers have proved wonderful seasons of power and Divine revelation. Our Leaders have been greatly inspired by evidences of loyalty and aggression. The coming Self-Denial Effort will undoubtedly be an outstanding success and the work in general will advance.

In connection with Officers' Councils, the Commissioner has taken tea with the Officers at each centre. This close touch has meant much to Officers who have been present from every Corps.

A summary of this tour, covering over six weeks, will appear in our next issue. Many encouraging advances will be recorded. The Army is marching forward in Canada West, on every hand there are sounds of abundance of rain.

A DAY at the CROSS

GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 18th

Three great meetings will be conducted in the WINNIPEG CITADEL on the above date at 11 a.m., 3 p.m., and 7.30 p.m. by

Commissioner Henry C. Hodder

**Assisted by Mrs. Hodder, the Chief Secretary and
Mrs. Morris, Staff and Field Officers**

**The SPIRIT of CALVARY
is the theme of the night meeting**

Special singing and music,
tableaux and lantern views

**Our Territorial Leaders will also
conduct a**

**YOUNG PEOPLE'S DAY
in WINNIPEG on SUNDAY, APRIL 13th
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EASTER MEETINGS

AT

St. James Corps on SUNDAY APRIL 20

**Pray for God's blessing to be outpoured on
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Announcements**

The Chief Secretary, Lieut.-Colonel Morris, to Farewell at the end of April—Appointed Resident Immigration Secretary at Montreal—Lieut.-Colonel Knott, now Chief Secretary of Denmark Appointed to Canada West

WORD has been received from the Chief of the Staff that the General has appointed our Chief Secretary, Lieut.-Colonel Frank Morris, to take charge, under Commissioner Lamb, of the Immigration Work throughout Canada, as Resident Secretary at Montreal.

Great interest is now being shown in immigration in all parts of the British Empire, which will certainly result in large movements of people, and The Salvation Army will play a large part in this work. Very great responsibilities will therefore fall upon the Colonel.

He will vacate his present post on April 26th, and assume his new work early in May.

The new Chief Secretary for this Territory will be Lieut.-Colonel Charles Knott, at present Chief Secretary for Denmark. The Colonel came out of Chelmsford in 1887 and has seen service in Great Britain, Ceylon, Egypt and Palestine. He was a Honorary Chaplain to His Majesty's Forces during the European War.

**Central Holiness Meeting
Lieut.-Colonel Thompson Gives
Address—Four Seekers**

Winnipeg Salvationists are always pleased to see visitors from the Old Land. No exception was shown when Lieut.-Colonel Will Thompson (retired) made his first public appearance before a western audience on Friday night last at the Rupert Street Citadel.

Major Carter piloted the first part of the meeting and in this he was assisted by members of the Training Garrison Staff. Mrs. Adjutant Clarke sang a helpful Holiness solo.

The Major expressed much pleasure at being able to introduce a veteran of the Salvation war such as Colonel Thompson, and espoke for him a cordial welcome on his first visit to Winnipeg. There was a hearty response from the audience.

Taking the Bible incident of Elisha raising the widow's son, the Colonel carried his listeners back to the days of the prophets. Dwelling upon the failure of Gehazi to raise the widow's dead son, he drew many powerful lessons for the benefit of his hearers.

"We cannot do God's work without God's power," said the Colonel. "To raise to life the dead souls around us," he declared, "requires the living Spirit of God dwelling in the worker." Frustrated efforts could only be the result of cold hearts banished with a worldly and selfish spirit.

Illustrating the conditions upon which a soul might find deliverance through complete surrender, the Colonel told several touching stories, and finished by quoting the quaintly put words, "God loves the broken heart, but He must have all the pieces."

Major Carter took charge of the Prayer Meeting during which a gracious spirit descended on the gathering and four souls came forward to seek cleansing.

April 5, 1924

Victory Winning On The Field

Winnipeg Citadel Visited by **Brigadier Goodwin Conducts Meeting In Grace Hospital**

Lieut.-Colonel Will Thompson Conducts Inspiring Weekend Meetings—Three Seekers

"My, but you are a hungry crowd!" This statement, made by Colonel Will Thompson, at the conclusion of his lecture, Monday, March 24th, was true in its entirety. The Colonel in his interview with the "War Cry" representative said, "I will enter with me for the rest of my days the most pleasant recollections of my few days at Winnipeg I Corps. The crowds who attended the meetings all seemed so hungry that they drew out the very best that was in me when I got up to speak."

The weekend meetings conducted by this "veteran of the old Brigade" with over forty years' experience behind him, will live long in the memories of those privileged to attend. His addresses at both the Holiness Meeting on Sunday morning and the Salvation Meeting at night, filled with pungent truths, stirred all who listened, and we believe that many will ponder over the Colonel's messages in their hearts for many a day.

And what shall we say of the two lectures given by the Colonel, one on Sunday afternoon and one on Monday night, both of which attracted large crowds? The Colonel has nothing to learn in the art of lecturing. Perfectly at ease on the platform, an excellent delivery and the power of moving his audience from laughter to tears, all combined to enthrall the congregation on both these occasions, and to make an indelible impression on the minds of the listeners.

Behind every incident related on both occasions was evidence of the truth "God moves in a mysterious way. His wonders to perform!"—J.R.W.

Sherbrooke Street (Winnipeg)

Ensign Bellamy and Lieutenant Stratton. Generally speaking a good beginning augers well for a good finish, and this was true of the meetings at Sherbrooke St. Corps on Sunday, March 23rd. Major Smith paid his first visit to the Corps as Divisional Commander. He was accompanied by Mrs. Smith. The weather was ideal for Open-Air work and it was good to hear the Baud on the street again. The Holiness Meeting was of an inspirational character and at the close of the meeting one soul yielded fully to God.

Praise was the theme in the afternoon meeting and was well taken up by the crowd present. Major Smith visited the Company Meetings at both Elgin Ave. and Sherbrooke St., and gave helpful and interesting talks as well as teaching new choruses.

The Salvation Meeting at night was very pointed in its message given by different speakers and was followed up by the Major's address on "Neglect", which cannot fail to have good results. The Band rendered good assistance throughout the day.

Six Souls at Calgary I

Commandant and Mrs. Hamilton. We were delighted to have with us for the week ending March 16th, Brigadier Sims. The Brigadier gave an excellent talk in the Holiness Meeting on the "Importance of knowing God." He also visited the Directory Class and Company Meeting. In the evening service splendid music was rendered by the Citadel Band, the Life-Saving Guards, and the O'Heires sisters sang. The Brigadier gave a strong address. Six came forward for Salvation.

The Brigadier returned to the city of Wednesday, from Drumheller, and met the Corps Cadets and Young People's Workers at a tea.—T.H.

Nine for Holiness at Drumheller

Brigadier Sims Conducts Special Campaign

The Sunday night meetings in Grace Hospital are usually conducted by the League of Mercy, but on Sunday, March 16th, Brigadier Goodwin, the Women's Social Secretary, was in charge.

About forty young women, a number of whom are in their early teens, were present. After the opening song and prayer, choruses were sung and opportunity given for the girls to testify. It was most pleasing and en-

Seventeen Surrender to God At Medicine Hat

Ensign Mundy and Lieut. Patterson, God has been blessing our efforts of the past few weeks in a wonderful way, in that souls are being saved, and others sanctified. As a result of a recent weekend's meetings, thirteen seekers came forward.

Sunday, March 16th, did not in any way lack the spirit which has prevailed for several weeks past. Commencing with the Knee-Drop and continuing throughout the whole day, we were very conscious of the presence of God's presence. In the Holiness Meeting, the Lieutenant spoke on that well-known verse, "And I, if I be lifted up will draw all men unto me." One young man sought and found the blessing of a clean heart. At night, following a rousing Open-Air, our Officers led on a real lively Salvation Meeting, and during the Prayer Meeting, three souls sought and found the Saviour. Hallelujah!—C.C.

Three Souls at Kerrobert

Captain Peake and Lieutenant Yarlett. We had a most blessed weekend March 1-3, when our D. C., Staff-Captain Habirkir and Ensign G. Jones, conducted services in our Corps. Every meeting was of such a character that we felt surely God is in this place and has met with us. We had good crowds, and after a real battle for souls Sunday night, three surrendered and proved that "I sus is mighty to save."

Monday night the lecture "Three Only", by the Staff-Captain, was a splendid finish to a glorious weekend. A full Hall and Mayor McMullan as chairman, went to make the meeting a real success, and the Spirit of God was felt as we listened to the story of those who had been lifted from the depths and placed upon the rock, Christ Jesus. The meetings have been an inspiration and an impetus to our Corps. God is working in our town, and we praise Him for His help and trust Him for greater things in the future.—Nap.

North Vancouver

Lieutenant Roskelly. On Sunday, March 16th, we said farewell to Captain Scott, who has been with us for some months past and has been a great source of blessing in North Vancouver. Captain Birchall and Lieutenant Green took part in the farewell meeting. We also had with us Envoy McLaughlin from New Westminster, who had a few words in regard to the farewell, having known the Captain for many years past. Things are moving here, and attendances are increasing, especially in the Young People's meetings.—B.

Five Soldiers Enrolled at Saskatoon II

Nine Seekers at the Mercy-Seat Captain and Mrs. Talbot. We had the great pleasure of seeing five of our recent converts enrolled as Soldiers by our Divisional Commander, Staff-Captain Habirkir. There are several more converts wishing to become Salvationists.

Souls are still coming out for Salvation. There were eight last Sunday, one backslider; also a backslider came home last Tuesday night, walking to the Mercy-Seat while Comrades were testifying. This Comrade testified at all Open-Airs and inside meetings and Sunday morning volunteered for Holiness.—J. P.

Three Seekers at Elmwood

Captain Edwards and Lieutenant Hranic. Three seekers knelt at the Mercy-Seat on Sunday night, one a life-slidder of many years. All glory to God. Ensign Ellis and Captain Hutchings, with a Brigade of lassie Cadets, carried on all day.—C.O.E.

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What our Bands are doing

Winnipeg Citadel Band
Annual

On Tuesday, March 18th, the Winnipeg Citadel Band celebrated its Thirtieth Anniversary. About two hundred Band League members, Bandsmen and their families and friends sat down to supper, and afterwards enjoyed a novel program in the Auditorium by the Bandsmen.

The Chief Secretary and Mrs. Morris, Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. Taylor, Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. Phillips, Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. McLean, Lieut.-Col. Will Thompson and other Staff Officers, were the guests of the Band. A number of new Band League members were secured.

Edmonton Citadel Band

Our Band is striving to maintain both spiritually and musically, the ideals for which Army Bands came into being. As a combination, we have to go some, nevertheless, we are getting there.

Our worthy Bandmaster is leading us on by the help of God, assisted by Deputy Bandmaster A. Cattle, Band Sergeant P. Mahy, and Band Secretary Wm. Ratcliffe. The Bandmaster has many spiritual talks with his Bandsmen, not only at the practices, but privately, and also by letters to each Bandsman. He often says, that if we fail in our spiritual progress,

A New Chorus



Band Assists Church

The Sparling Methodist Church, Weston, a suburb of Winnipeg, was well filled on Thursday, March 20th, when the Winnipeg 1 Band gave a very fine program in aid of the Building Fund.

The minister, Rev. Mr. Barker, in opening the program, told the audience that on this occasion his pleasure knew no bounds, "for I feel perfectly at home with The Army Band. Although as isn't generally known, I was converted as a Junior in The Army and two brothers are Salvationists, one is an Ensign today."

The program was a very heavy one, but the Band responded splendidly in thanking the Band for the effort, the Chairman of the Church Board, said: "Not only have we been entertained but we have been helped and uplifted. We often hear music," he said, "music of various kinds, but we are not often privileged to hear such inspiring and soul-stirring music as you have given us. It has done our hearts good." — J. R. W.

Regina Citadel Band
Hospital Patients Blessed Through
Music

The visit of the Band to the General Hospital last week was indeed a success. Not only did we as Bandsmen enjoy the great privilege but we have heard of the blessing our music was to those lying in beds of sickness.

We are also glad to report that our Bandsmen are not merely musicians, but each member is a Salvation Soldier, a real fighter in the war against sin. On Saturday, March 22nd, Bandsman A. H. Smith took the lesson. On Sunday afternoon Bandsman F. W. Mayo spoke very decisively against the evils and vices brought upon us by attendance at the "movies."

And so the Regina Band pushes on not only to win regnia for Christ by music but by testimony and the preaching of the living word of God. — E.H.S.

Home League Activities

Sale of Work at Ehnwood

The day set for the Home League Sale turned out to be ideal and quite a few were at the opening. After a few remarks by Mrs. Lieut.-Colonel Morris, the Home League Secretary welcomed the Divisional Secretary, Mrs. Major Smith, who in return introduced Mrs. Major Joy, who opened the sale.

Mrs. Joy spoke of her interest in the Home League work, she having been

and our playing is not with the intention of saving souls, then we fail in everything. I shall never forget the time when I was very sick, and lay in the Hospital. Our Band paid us a visit, and rendered music for the patients. The Bandmaster came to me, and leaning over the bed, whispered, saying, "Does Jesus appear?" to you at this time?" I answered, "Yes, He does."

The citizens of Edmonton realize that the Band is a fine combination, and are not afraid to say so.

The Bandmaster is working very hard, and preparing for a full summer's work, as is usually our privilege, playing out music and giving out blessings at the Hospitals, to the prisoners, and many other places as opportunity affords.

Let our Bands of Canada West, be they large or small, pray for each other, that our efforts may have the blessing of God upon them. Recently a program given by the Band was broadcast. Scores of letters have been received, saying that the various marches and selections were clearly heard and gave great delight to a large number of people. One bedridden man who has not been able to get about for the past fifteen months wrote to say how cheered he was by the program.—P. S. K. Band Correspondent.

Musical Festival at Estevan

The Band and Songsters of the Estevan Corps, under the leadership of Deputy Bandmaster J. Munro and Songster Leader Mrs. Alf. Slous, held a Festival in the Citadel on March 7th, which was well attended. Councillor Holmgren selected. Selections, cornet solo, euphonium solo, trombone solo, and other items were well rendered. The Songsters also gave selections, quartet and solos.特别 good was a violin solo by Brother Alvin Tyler. The Songsters gave a dialogue. The proceeds of the Festival are to be devoted to the Band, new instruments being needed.—Scriber.

a Home League worker in the Old Country.

Accompanying the above Officers were Mrs. Lieut.-Colonel Phillips, Mrs. Lieut.-Colonel Taylor, Mrs. Brigadier Whately and Mrs. Staff-Captain Oak.

Our ex-Home League Secretary, Mrs. Staff-Captain Hahkirk, did not forget us and sent some lovely articles for the sale which we appreciate.

A goodly amount was raised for which we thank God and all who helped to make the Sale a success.— C. O. E.

Eastern Review

Commissioner Sowton visited London and Hamilton during the week and, in addition to holding Special Councils for Officers, conducted a public gathering at each centre.

Three hundred Songsters attended the Councils conducted by Commissioner and Mrs. Sowton for the benefit of the singing Salvationists of Toronto. The gatherings were held in the Temple and the heart-to-heart talks given by the Territorial Leaders were greatly inspiring. A Musical Festival given by the Songster Brigades of the city was a special feature of the splendid series of gatherings.

Colonel and Mrs. Oway and Social Staff conducted Meetings at the Temple on Sunday, March 2nd. A lecture on our work in Canadian prisons was given by the Colonel in the afternoon. There were four seekers at night.

Colonel and Mrs. Cloud recently led a victorious Sunday's gatherings at Carbonear, Newfoundland. Twenty-six surrenders were made during the day.

On a recent Sunday, Lieut.-Colonel Adby conducted a Meeting at the Montreal Metropole. Over two hundred men were present. A powerful Salvation Meeting resulted, and there were live seekers.

Latest reports of Brigadier Crichton, of Hamilton, are that he is somewhat improved, although still confined to his room.

Staff-Captain Clayton, after eight weeks' leave of absence, is due to return to Toronto. He writes stating that he has greatly benefited by the rest and change and is looking forward to getting back to work.

Ensign Pederson, late of Newfoundland, has been appointed to assist at the Montreal Maternity Hospital.

Adjutant Cooper, Women's Social Department, is progressing very nicely after undergoing an operation in Wellesley Hospital, Toronto.

Captain Dorothy Noble, late of Toronto East D. R. Q., has taken up duties in the Editorial Department, and Songster O. Ritchie has been transferred to the Finance Office.

Ensign May Smith has farewelled from Bethesda Hospital, London, to go on furlough, and Ensign Nellie Robinson has been appointed as Home Officer.

A young Bandswoman, Sister Elda Yake, has been appointed Deputy Bandmaster at Aurora Corps.

A mound of snow afforded a splendid Open-Air pulpit for the men Cadets recently engaged in their Field activities. While thus engaged, a man knelt at the drumhead, which caused a great crowd to assemble. At the conclusion of the Open-Air Meeting a lady asked to be permitted to give her testimony and told the crowd how she found Christ twenty years ago when kneeling on the street in the Old Country.

Adjutant William Dray looked into the Editorial Department on Wednesday. He was in good spirits, and shook hands prior to his departure for International Headquarters on a flying visit.

Commandant and Mrs. Sheard are rejoicing over the splendid results among the prisoners at the Ontario Reformatory, Brantford. There are five camps, each separated by a few miles, which are visited periodically, services being held as well as personal interviews with the men. A number have expressed appreciation for help received.

In order to cope with its rapidly increasing orders, the Printing Department is installing another Linotype machine.

MAGAZINE PAGE

History, Current Events, Science, Travel, Exploration

Items of Interest

The great cataract of Iguazu in South America is 205 feet high, making it 42 feet higher than Niagara Falls, and is two and one-half miles wide.

The League of Nations has recently taken the responsibility of taking under its wing the children of the world. A special department will be created by the League to handle all matters concerning the protection of children.

It is announced that scientists are on the eve of one of the greatest discoveries of the age—flexible glass. Then we may possibly see the folding window-pane, the collapsible electric-light bulb and unbreakable dishes.

The river Jordan in Palestine is soon to supply all Palestine with electric power. After extensive surveys, a corporation has chosen a site three miles south of the Sea of Galilee on which to erect a huge plant, install turbines, and harness the historic river Jordan.

A new treatment for colds and some other respiratory diseases has been recently announced. A small container releases a minute quantity of chlorine gas, the fumes of which are driven to all parts of the room by an electric fan. The person under treatment continues at his work. An hour's exposure is said to cure a cold, and two one-hour treatments on successive days will usually cure bronchitis, whooping cough or influenza.

One Year on the Rio Grande Impressions Gathered while Living on the Mexican Border

(By Captain Olin Edwards, Elmwood)

MEXICO possesses a beautiful climate and with its abundance of fruit, grain and vegetables, many of which grow wild, it is a most inviting place to live. Civil strife destroys the happiness and peace of the people, however, and very little progress is made in any of the industries for fear of destruction by some opposing faction.

Mexico has rich deposits of minerals and oil, and in times of peace can produce dye and a certain amount of rubber.

The people are of all nationalities and colors. Many from the British Isles, United States, Europeans, Indians and Negroes. They are all playing a part in Mexican affairs in one way or another.

I will now attempt to describe some of the habits and ways of the people.

It was in the fall of 1915 when my father moved to the Mexican border. At that time there was much uncertainty as to the attitude of the Mexican Government. The train stopped at a small town of two hundred white people and three hundred Mexicans. The town was very quiet as southern towns are, and few people were seen. We were taken to our temporary home which was composed of two tents pitched nine miles from the Mexican border and on the main road.

We had left the land of ice and snow and were now in the land of sunshine, with great ambition to turn the mesquite and cactus and ebony covered land into a paradise. The intense heat of the sun was against our ambition, although at certain times of the day the Gulf breeze would refresh us.

The tents did not keep out much of the hot sun or anything else, for one night, hearing something drop from the roof of the tent, my mother lit a match and there was a great tarantula on the floor near the bed, a spider as large as the palm of your hand. The spiders, rattlesnakes, scorpions and lizards of different kinds made occasional visits to our abode, but no harm was done.

A Fruitful Land

These pests are being destroyed as the country is cleared up and planted to orchards of grapefruit, oranges and lemons. There are some ligs, dates and a few bananas, also great gardens where vegetables are raised for the northern markets. Many acres of sugar cane, cotton, corn and alfalfa are producing good yields where there is plenty of water.

This is the land the Mexican lives in and plays a very important part, as he is the one who furnishes the labor for all departments of work. The Mexicans are well built people and are tireless workers. They are slow but you would be also, working with the thermometer between 95 and 116 for weeks and weeks at a time.

Mexicans all work. During the busy seasons you will see the men, women and children, stripping the sugar cane. The Mexican laborers as a rule are very poor and I might describe briefly their home life. The shacks they live in seldom have a board floor and many of them are made of old pieces of board and pieces of tin nailed to the trees in such a fashion as to form a shelter.

At different times you will see them grinding the corn which is their main food. Many still use the old stones to make the meal. The cooking is done on an open fire, and the preparation as well as the eating of the meal is very interesting to see. The laborer may possess a donkey and cart to carry his belongings, or if not, they are carried on the back.

A Musical People

These people seem quite happy under these conditions and may be heard singing at their work. In the evening band music and song are heard, for they are good musicians and good singers.

Another class of Mexicans are the ones who make the most of American motives. There are many skilled tradesmen who hold good positions. Many are in business and are successful; there are Mexican clerks in all stores and a more polite people you never met. The government builds schools for them and there are many who come to the American schools to take up higher courses. I have been in the same class with them and they are on a par with anyone else, but perhaps a little more anxious to learn than the others.

There are Mexican lawyers and government men, in fact the counties have

Ain't It Fine Today?

WHAT'S de use o' always weepin',
Makin' trouble last?
What's de use o' always keepin'
Thinkin' o' de past?
Each must hab his tribulation;
Hoecake on de line.
Life? it am no celebration.
Trouble? Ah've had mine;
But to-day Ah'm fine.

It's to-day dat Ah'm livin',
Not a month ago;
Havin', losin', takin', givin',
At time wills it so.
Yesterday a cloud o' sorrow
Fall across de way;
It may rain again to-morrow—
It may rain—but, say,
Ain't it fine to-day?

British Premier's Plea for Old-Fashioned Sunday

PREMIER RAMSEY MACDONALD in a speech given recently in England, denounced the materialism and selfishness to which the present age is given over. "I would like to see," the Premier is quoted as saying, "a state of society where every man and woman prefers the old Scotch Sabbath to the present French one, because in that you would find a solid foundation for character and self-command on which to build up churches and cities. What the world is suffering from is that we have not the courage to go down to the source of these evils, and instead spend our time patching here and patching there."

Refuse a Million

Actors in the famous Oberammergau Passion Play who came to the United States to raise money to save the people of their village from post-war starvation refused offers of more than a million dollars to produce their play for the moving pictures. They declared that to accept would be a violation of a tradition that has been observed for generations. Instead, they follow their craft of wood carving in the hope of selling their wonderful handicraft to raise the much-needed funds.

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The average Mexican hates war, he likes the peaceful, easy-going life, he wants conditions so that he can settle down and make his living and not be molested.

Saturday nights are usually big nights with all the people, young and old, rich and poor. The people will gather in their own part of the city. Along the sidewalk they will be places where you may buy drinks or candies, etc. In the street the women will be making up their dishes and selling them to passers-by. Many white people will be seen at these Saturday night affairs, enjoying the novelty of the and partaking of the good things to eat. In spite of their circumstances, they are very clean and tidy with their dress as well as in their cooking.

Remember, I have spoken to the Mexicans on this side of the border, where they have a chance. There are thousands away in Mexico who need help, who need Christ and His Gospel. Many held in ignorance and slavery are waiting for a deliverer.



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A market day scene in Mexico is depicted in the above photograph. The Mexicans are very fond of these occasions and every important village has one market day a week.

Exploration

It Fine Today?

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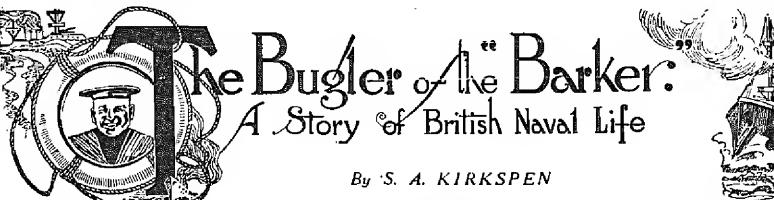
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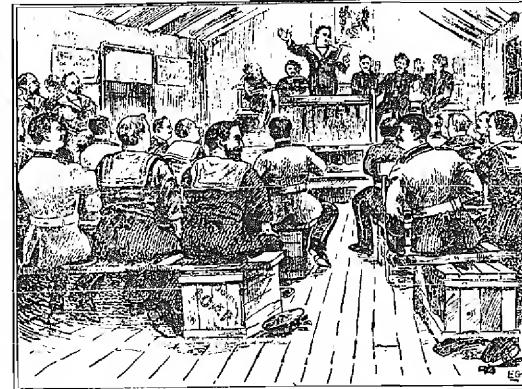
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A happy evening at The Salvation Army Home

at the sailor's quaint and original re-creation of his doings.

"Well, Powell," he remarked at the conclusion, "I hope you've learnt your lesson. There's many a worse place to be in than a British warship as you've found out. Try and be a good man from now on and do your duty as a Britisher. And, by the way, try and stick to The Salvation Army this time. You're a much smarter and better man when you're saved and sober" as I've heard them term it.

You'll have to be court-martialed you understand for the crime of desertion, and probably you'll get a prison sentence, but in view of your voluntary return and your evident repentance and resolve to be a better man, it may be only a slight one. Well, now you can turn in for tonight. Good luck to you."

Next morning the "Barker" steamed out of the Golden Horn on her return journey to Malta. Duffy had got aboard her only just in time.

Sentenced to Prison

The court martial was duly held and Duffy was sentenced to six months' imprisonment in the Naval Prison in Malta. That was a most trying time for him, but he was cheered occasionally by visits from The Salvation Army Adjutant and his comrades. He also discovered that "stone walls do not a prison make," and enjoyed much sweet communion with God in his cell, revelling in the liberty wherewith Christ had made him free.

When he was released he lost no time in making his way to The Army Home. Oh, what a privilege it was to be in a red hot Salvation Army meeting once more and how his soul was filled with glory as he joined in singing "Where He leads I'll follow." No

A musical program followed, with each being displayed by the boys. The Adjutant then suggested a testimony meeting and one after the other of these sailors and soldiers got up and told of the victories they had won in ship and barracks room and how Christ enabled them to live pure lives in the midst of profanity, drunkenness and impurity.

Duffy kept his eye on George and saw that a struggle was going on in his soul. He resolved to speak to him when the Prayer Meeting started and endeavor to lead him to Christ. But he got a surprise. The boys sang the classic hymn,

"A never-failing Friend,

Christ to me so rich and free,

His favors never end,

A never-failing Friend,

Give up your sin and you shall win,

This never-failing Friend."

"Now who will be the next to testify?" said the Adjutant.

George Stanton got to his feet, evidently with a struggle.

Accepted Christ

"Comrades," he said "I have this moment accepted Christ as my friend and I mean to be His true follower." "Hallelujah!" came from a score or more lusty throats, while Duffy performed a Salvation horn in the way of showing his joy. The meeting wound up with a red hot Prayer Meeting during which many petitions were offered that God would keep the new Convert true and make him into a real Converted Salvation Soldier.

That was a happy night for both George and Duffy and one that always stood out in their memories. All the boys went back to their stations and ships that night greatly strengthened in soul and encouraged to fight on for God.

(To be continued)

Household Hints

The dish-cloth is an article which does not generally receive the attention it should. A good way to keep it sweet is, once a week put it on the stove in a pan of strong soap suds, boil for about ten minutes, then rinse in several waters and hang outside to dry.

To prevent stickiness when seeding raisins or stoning dates, rub a little butter on the fingers and knife.

House plants should not be watered too often in cold weather. When you do water them, use slightly warmed water, that is, with the chaff off.

Lemon juice and sugar mixed make a common remedy for coughs. A better way, however, is to put a large lemon in the oven and allow it to remain until thoroughly baked, when it will be soft all the way through. Add enough honey to the pulp to make a thick syrup. Sugar will answer the purpose, but honey is more medicinal. Keep the syrup warm and take a teaspoonful every fifteen minutes. A fine remedy for hoarseness as well as coughs.

For seals from boiling water, baking-soda moistened till soft and freely applied, is one of the best and handiest remedies. After this, bind up the sealed part to keep it from the air.

During the spring house cleaning, which is not far off, you may find places in the plastered walls which need repairing. This can be done with plaster of paris, but be sure to mix it with vinegar instead of water or it will harden before you are half through the job.

To remove a rusty screw, first apply a very hot iron at the head for a time, then immediately use the screwdriver.

When eggs are dear, vinegar will take their place in cakes. Mix a dessert-spoonful with a gill of milk, and you have a most efficient substitute for two new-laid eggs.



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Neil Bruce.

175—Bruce, Neil. Formerly of the Merchant Marine, hunting his discharged sailors from the "Manhattan Hero" at Montreal. Wrote home to Scotland from Fort William, Ontario, on September 8th, 1922. Was supposed to have gone West 200 miles on contract work. Mother very anxious to hear of her son's whereabouts. (See photo).

190—Evans, Norman. Age 22, height 5'6", fair hair and dark brown eyes. Fair complexion. Came out of Canada, harvesting last summer, but went to a few months ago from G.I.O., Vancouver, B.C. Mother very anxious to get in touch with her son.

188—Harry, Ernest. Age 40, 5'8", light brown hair and blue eyes, fair complexion. Formerly married to a girl, but went to farming in Astoria, Sask. Sister is anxious to hear from her brother.

184—Lung, Aug. Johnson. About 30 years and 5 months. Salvation Army meetings in Falun, Sweden. Supposed to be somewhere in Wisconsin.

182—Carter, Albin. 44 years of age, 5'8" in height, fair hair and complexion, grey eyes. Unmarried. Formerly of the 62nd Battalion in Vernon, B.C. July 23rd, 1915, was in Vernon, but again enlisted with the 137th Battalion at Vernon, Aug. 19th, 1916.

180—Shaver, Hossie. About 20 years of age. Dark hair, brown eyes. Last known address, Lake Louise, Sask. Mother anxious to hear from daughter, not having seen her for years.

177—Everly, Oluf Johnson. About 39 years of age. Steamer sailor, blue eyes, dark hair, average build. Norwegian. Last known address, G/o, The Crawford Co., Swanson Bay, B.C. Last heard of in 1921. Loney left, sister, Alice.

175—Lars, Harry, "Lewis". 36 years of age, fair hair, blue eyes, height 5'8". Formerly married by trade. Last heard of in Calgary, Alta. Mother is very anxious to hear from him.

170—Kristensen, Karl Peter. Norwegian; supposed to be in Western Canada somewhere.

166—Meyer or Stark, August. Swedish, about 30 years of age. Wrote home last from Swift Current, Sask. 48 months ago.

161—Shinnan or Sylvester, George Ernest. Last heard from in Argo, Sask. 37 years of age, blue eyes, brown hair, 5'6" in height. Might have gone to the States, but would appreciate information as to where he is very sick and is anxious to hear from his family.

140—Thoren, Josef. Age 45, born in Thordhjem, Norway. Left Paddington, Lake P.O., Sask., about a year ago for Saskatoon. Brother in States anxiously enquires.

130—Borge, Nils G. Norwegian. Average height, 5'8", light hair, blue eyes, fresh complexion, analysis of 25 lbs. weight. Last heard from in December, 1923, at Victoria, B.C., and also was heard from Edmonton, Alberta. Left Norway in 1912 for Canada.

60—Dale, Samuel Cameron. 62 years of age. Height 5'7", light hair, blue eyes, fresh complexion, analysis of 25 lbs. weight. Last heard from in 1918, at Victoria, B.C., and also was heard from in 1923.

142—McGuire, Mary. Age 44, about 5' in height, dark hair, dark brown eyes, fair complexion, analysis of 25 lbs. weight. Last known address, Brandon, Manitoba. Once worked in a hotel on McWilliam Street, Winnipeg.

200—Barrett, Robert, or Burrows. Age 49, fair complexion, English, stutters. Supposed to be round Hudson Bay district. Had a photo taken by Capt. Arthur few years ago. Married about 1910.

181—Johnson, Thomas Charles. Age 62, 6'11", aline T. C. Jones or Mackay, British paternity, 168 lbs., cabinet-maker by trade. Light grey eyes, fresh complexion, light brown hair. Married. Missing thirty years, when he disappeared from Montreal.

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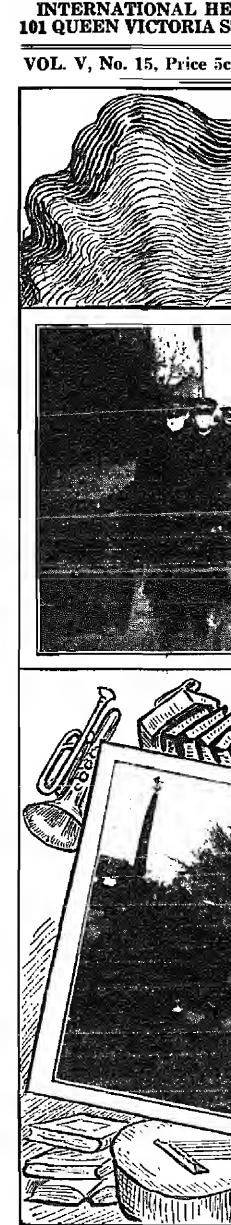
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